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SENATE BILL 1550

By Yager

AN ACT to amend Chapter 247 of the Private Acts of 1982; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to a litigation tax in Scott County.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 247 of the Private Acts of 1982, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

There is imposed a twenty-five dollar (\$25.00) litigation tax on each case filed in circuit, general sessions, and juvenile courts in the county for funding for the Scott County Family Justice Center.

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the legislative body of Scott County. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the legislative body and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.